OBITUARIES

Baxter C. Phelps

Baxter Carlyle Phelps, 44, of Rt. 2, Gladstone, died suddenly at 8:35 p.m. Wednesday Oct. 6, 1976 at his residence. His wife is Phyllis Branch Phelps.

Born in Appomattox County, he was a son of the late Carlyle Thomas Phelps and Della Robertson Phelps. He was a brakeman for the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad, a member of the United Transportation Union, a veteran of the Korean War and member of Maple Grove Baptist Church.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by one son, Anthony Lyle Phelps of Gladstone; two daughters, Mrs. Vanessa Clifton of Pamplin and Wanda Ann Phelps of Gladstone, two brothers, Richard L. Phelps and Randall W. Phelps, both of Gladstone and four sisters, Mrs. George Horsley, Mrs. Clyde Page and Mrs. Lloyd Ferguson, all of Gladstone, and Mrs. George Taylor of Lynchburg.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday at Maple Grove Baptist Church. Burial was in the Phelps family cemetery.

Robinson Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. William H. Sheperla

Mrs. Lucy Weigand Sheperla, age 73, of 3236 Nelson St., Lynchburg, died Friday afternoon at Lynchburg General Hospital after a short illness.

Her husband was the late William H. Sheperla.

Born in Lynchburg, she was a daughter of the late John W. Weigand and Nellie Waldron Weigand. She was a retired employee of Craddock-Terry Shoe Corp., where she was a member of the Quarter Century Club. She was a member of Fairview United Methodist Church.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs Walter Conner of Appomattox and Mrs. Robert Falwell of Rustburg; one brother, Frank H. Weigand, of Lynchburg; two sisters, Mrs. Ezra Sisk and Mrs. Bettie Johnson, both of Lynchburg, four grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Monday at Whitten Park Avenue Chapel. Burial was in Spring Hill Cemetery.

Miss Mary E. Drinkard

Miss Mary Estelle (Mollye) Drinkard of Appomattox died at 10 p.m. Wednesday in the Medical Care Center in Lynchburg.

Born in Appomattox County, she was a daughter of Charles Milton and Mary Ann Martin Darinkard. She attended State Normal School, now Longwood College at Farmville, received a BS degree at Roanoke College and received a master's degree from the University of Virginia. She taught at schools in Virginia and North Carolina, and was a member of the American Association of University of Virginia. She taught at schools in Virginia and North Carolina, and was a member of American Association of University Women and New Hope Baptist Church in Raleigh, N.C.

She is survived by two sisters, Miss Nettie Drinkard of Appomattox and Mrs. J. Owen Carson of Concord.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Friday from Robinson Funeral Home, Appomattox, by the Rev. Doyle Chauncey. Burial was in the Drinkard family cemetery in Appomattox County.

Mrs. Lee, 80, Died In Lynchburg, Buried Thursday

MADISONVILLE, Oct. 7 - Funeral services for Mrs. Bessie Garrison Lee, 80, were held today (Thursday) at 2 p.m. at the Madisonville Presbyterian Church, with interment in the church cemetery. Mrs. Lee died Tuesday, October 5 in the Lynchburg General Hospital.

Born in Charlotte County August 4, 1896, she was the daughter of the late John W. Garrison and Laura Layne Garrison. She served actively and was a life-long member of the Madisonville Presbyterian Church.

The widow of Bernard W. Lee, she is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Lawrence Ramsey of Lynchburg, Mrs. Addie G. Ramsey and Genie G. Ramsey, both of Pamplin.

Active Pallbearers were: Wilson Ramsey, Edward Ramsey, Ronnie Lee, Robert W., Talley, Clyde Nash, and Roy Lee.

Chestnut Grove

The regular Woman's Missionary Society Meeting will be in the home of, Mrs. Alice Senger Friday, October 15th at 8 p.m.

The Chestnut Grove Homemakers Club met Monday in the home of Mrs. Grace Repass with twelve members present. Mrs. Joan Price gave the demonstration on herbs. It was a luncheon and she served several dishes seasoned with herbs.

Mrs. Grace Morris underwent surgery at Lynchburg General Hospital Friday. We wish her a speedy recovery. Members of her family are frequent visitors at her bed-side. Rev. Dott Bryan visited her Monday.

Mrs. Ruth Beasley spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Woodall in Farmville.

Charles Wayne Cook of Richmond was a Sunday visitor of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cook.

Phillip and David Bryan were home for the weekend from V.P.I.

Aubrey N. Morris is a patient at McGuire Veterans Hospital in Richmond.

Mrs. Lucy Glover has returned to her home after an extended visit in Richmond with Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Cook.

Mrs. Calvin W. Morris spent Saturday in Richmond shopping.

Gladstone

Mrs. Shirley Watts and Mrs. Ruby Hanson visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George O'Brien of Norwood last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Christian Carter were dinner guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Anderson on Wednesday.

Mr. George Spiggle and Mrs. Leslie Spiggle of Richmond and Mrs. Lewis Harris were luncheon guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Spiggle on Monday.

Mrs. Florence McFadden is in Lynchburg General Hospital. We pray that she may have a quick recovery.

Mrs. Jack Watts and family of Manassas spent the week end in the home of Mrs. Billy Mundy and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Cyrus.

We were so sorry to hear of the death of Mr. Lyle Phelps on Wednesday. We extend sympathy to the family.

We were so sorry to hear of the death of Mr. Wilton Hunter on Saturday. We extend sympathy to the family.

Mrs. W. L. Watts III and Mrs. Ruby Hanson had as guest in their home this week Mr. and Mrs. Ben Thomas of Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. Christian Carter attended the funeral of, Mr. Milton Hunter at Mt. Comfort United Methodist Church on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Taylor, Mrs. Mary Harris and Mrs. W. E. Akers attended the James River Associational Executive Committee Meeting at Bethlehem Church on Monday night.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Spiggle on Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Tyree of Madison Heights, Mrs. Alda Odgen and Mrs. Weigand from Lynchburg, Rev. and Mrs. James Williams, Mr. Sam Thorhill, Mrs. Rachel Moore, Mrs. Robert Martin and Mrs. and Mrs. H. D. Jobe and Mr. Reuben Hamilton were also visitors.

Mrs. H. D. Jobe spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. John Spencer in Lynchburg.

Stonewall

"Train up a child in the way he should go and when he is old, he will not depart from it."

Prov. 22:6

Mr. James Berryman is still a patient at Lynchburg General Hospital but is doing fine now.

Mr. J. O. Davidson is in the hospital. He is expected home in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Scruggs are both improving now.

So glad all the sick are improving.

Mr. Richard Mitchell was home for the week end from Bluefield College.

Mr. Kerry Nelson had his sister from California visiting them.

Mrs. Ethel Ownes, from Wilson, N.C., Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pitman, daughter and his mother spent the week end with Mrs. Nina Caldwell. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harris, Will and Jack were dinner guests, also.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Jones and Richard visited Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Wheeler

Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Wheeler visited Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Bondurant.

Misses Becky and Mary Davidson were dinner guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Bondurant, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Overstreet spend last Tuesday night with Mrs. Hazel Gillispie.

BIRTHDAYS

Harry Ranson	Oct. 17
Miss Maggie Branch	Oct. 3
Susan Hamlin	Oct. 18
Edward Ranson	Oct. 27
Carrie Gilbert	Oct. 21
Howard Gilbert	Oct. 21
Ethel Gardner	Oct. 25
John Hall	Oct. 10
Renee Harris	Oct. 31

If you're on a picnic check to see that there is sufficient ice left in the cooler to keep leftovers safe and cool till you get home.

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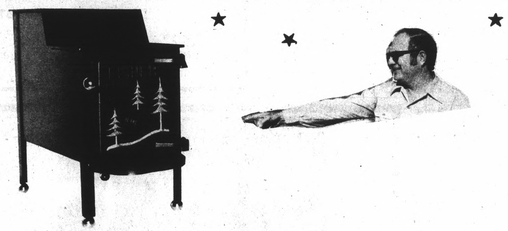

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MISS NANCY CAROL PRINCE

Engagement is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fleet Prince of Deltaville announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Nancy Carol Prince, to Mr. Thomas Michael Jackson, son of Rev. and Mrs. Thomas E. Jackson of Roanoke, formerly of Appomattox.

Miss Prince is a graduate of Virginia Commonwealth University, where she is currently working on her Master's degree. She is employed by Middlesex County Public Schools.

Mr. Jackson attended Ferrum College and now attends Rappahannock Community College. He is employed by E. E. Redmon, Jr. of Hartfield, Va.

The wedding will take place December 18, 1976 at Zoar Baptist Church in Deltaville.

Date Set For Wedding

The marriage of Miss Alice Joette Paulette of Madison Heights to Mr. Robert Montgomery of Lynchburg will be an event of Saturday, October 23, 1976 at 7:30 p.m. at Forest Road United Methodist Church in Lynchburg.

Miss Paulette is the daughter of Mrs. Carl Almond and the late Ashby Paulette of Appomattox.

Mr. Montgomery is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Horseman of Lynchburg.

Although no invitations have been sent, friends and relatives are invited to attend the wedding and the reception immediately following the ceremony in the church fellowship hall.

Luncheon Honors Miss Folks

Miss Melanie Folks was entertained with a luncheon on Saturday at the Weyanoke Hotel in Farmville. Among the twenty guests were Mrs. Horace Dudley Folks, Melanie's mother; Mrs. Louis N.Herncall, her grandmother; and Mrs. Charlie Hudson Inge, Jr., mother of the groom, Ron Inge.

Mrs. Marvin A. Herncall and Mrs. James C. Sefter of Appomattox and Mrs. Daniel W. Herncall of Farmville were hostesses for the affair.

Mrs. Sefter will serve as Matron of Honor in her cousin's marriage to Ron Inge on Saturday at the Memorial United Methodist Church.

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DAN RIVER BAPTIST CHURCH CHOIR, shown above, of Halifax participated in the 200th Anniversary of Red Oak Baptist Church at their celebration on Sunday, October 3rd.

This choir, under the direction of Rev. Larry Frakes, pastor of Dan River Baptist Church, presented a program of inspirational and patroitic music entitled "I Love America". The program included a number of solos and narrations by members of the choir.

About 375 people attended the service at Red Oak on October 3rd .

MISS ELIZABETH CATHERINE SPRINKLE

Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Francis B. Sprinkle of Charlotte Court House are proud to announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth Catherine, to Kenneth A. Hamlett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen H. Hamlett of Pamplin.

Miss Sprinkle will be a 1977 graduate of Randolph Henry High School. Mr. Hamlett is a 1976 graduate of Appomattox County High School.

A December wedding is planned.

Society News

Mr. Bill Poston of Vienna visited his mother, Mrs. W. C. Poston, over the weekend. On Saturday they drove to Lexington to attend the wedding of Mrs. Poston's neice, Karen Ruckman and Eric Daniel Weinstein. The wedding ceremony was performed by the bride's father, Rev. Lee V. Ruckman, in the yard of the bride's grandparent's home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Honeycutt and Mr. and Mrs. Thad Blackwelder of Mooresville, North Carolina are spending this week in Pennsylvania and at Niagra Falls.

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Mr. and Mrs. Allen Jones & son Michael from Fairbanks, Alaska are visiting Mrs. Jones parents, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Maxwell.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Robinson of Lynchburg, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Jones and Mr. and Mrs. James E. Maxwell visited around the Natural Bridge area Sunday afternoon.

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Mrs. Lucy Cole of Bloxey, Mississippi is visiting in the home of Mrs. Lillian Hudson.

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FOUR MEMBERS HONORED AT RED OAK CHURCH

Four members were honored at the celebration of the 200th Anniversary of Red Oak Baptist Church on October 3rd. They are, left to right, Mrs. Ruby Harris, a resident member, who received a plaque for being a member of the church for the longest continous period of time; Mrs. Ruth Williamson, the oldest member of the church; Mrs. Myrtle Paris, a non-resident member, who has been a member of Red Oak for the longest period of time; and Mrs. Ruby Lewis, who has been a Sunday School teacher for the longest period of time.

Shower Honors Miss Folks

Mrs. Raymond A. Tweedy and Mrs. James A. Beaty were hostesses for a shower for Melanie Folks on Thursday evening when friends and relatives of the bride were invited to Mrs. Beaty's home which was decorated with roses from Mrs. Beaty's gardens. Guests included Mrs. Horace Dudley Folks, mother of the bride, and Mrs. Charlie Hudson Inge, Jr., mother of Ronald Inge to whom Melanie will be married on Saturday afternoon.

Party Honors Couple

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Ray Bryant and Mr. and Mrs. Kent Ramsey entertained Saturday evening with a dinner in the Bryant home honoring Melanie Folks and Ron Inge who will be married October 16.

Guests included couples, and other friends of the two being married.

A gift of china was presented the couple.

Another feature of the new child abuse and neglect legislation is the requirement that doctors, nurses, teachers and other professionals who come in contact with children report suspected cases of abuse or neglect. Under the law, failure to do so could result in a misdemeanor prosecution.

Eastern Star To Meet Monday Night

The stated meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star will be held Monday, October 18, 1976 at 8:00 P.M. in the Chapter Room.

All members are urged to attend.

Virginia T. Ferguson
Secretary

Weekend guests of Mr. & Mrs. Herman Puckett, Sr. were their daughter & son-in-law, Mr. & Mrs. Robert A. Johnson and grandchildren. Charlene and Leigh Ann Johnson of Chesapeake, Va.

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Mrs. Robert Seay and Mrs. Lorene Wootten spent the week end with relatives in Richmond.

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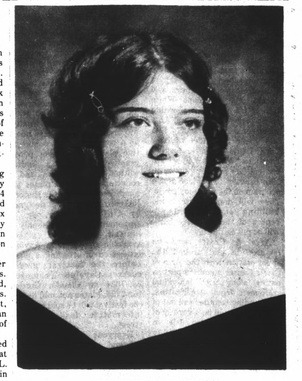
Shower Honors Miss Martin

Entertaining in connection with the marriage of Miss Patricia Carol Martin to Mr. Edwin Mark White continued Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock when Pam Doss, Evelyn Martin, and Carolyn Jo Morris entertained with a shower of bridal appointment at the Trinity United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall in Appomattox, Virginia.

The White-Martin wedding will be an event of Saturday afternoon October 23 at 4 o'clock in Trinity United Methodist Church, Appomattox Virginia. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Abner E. Martin will entertain with a reception in the church fellowship hall.

Guest invited to the shower on Sunday afternoon were Mrs. Abner E. Martin of Richmond, mother of the bride, and Mrs. Ernest M. White of Amherst, mother of the groom and an group of relatives and friends of the bride.

The bride was also honored with a luncheon Saturday at noon given by Mrs. Darnell L. Richeson at her home in Amherst, Virginia. Guest at the luncheon were Mrs. Martin, Mrs. White and a group of friends and relatives.



MISS DEBORAH JO MASON

Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Clyde Mason of Pamplin, announce the engagement of their daughter, Deborah Jo Mason, to Larry Paul Smith of Pamplin, Va.

Miss Mason is a 1975 graduate of Appomattox County High School, and is presently employed at Sangil Garment Co.

Mr. Smith is a 1972 graduate of Appomattox County High School, and is presently employed at Pamplin Exxon Service Center.

The wedding will take place on December 4, 1976, at 4 o'clock at Elon Baptist Church in Pamplin. Although no invitations are being sent out, friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Bridal Shower Honors Miss Folks

Mrs. Henry Edward Faulconer, Jr. entertained at her home at 420 Trent's Ferry Road, Lynchburg, Virginia, last Tuesday night, with a bridal shower for her niece, Miss Candace Melanie Folks whose marriage to Mr. Ronald Lee Inge is scheduled for four o'clock Saturday, October 16, at Memorial United Methodist Church, Appomattox.

Miss Sydney Ellen Faulconer, who will be a bridesmaid for her cousin, assisted her mother in caring for the guests who included friends and relatives of the bride. Mrs. Faulconer's daughter, Bambi, who is a student at Mary Baldwin College, will also be an attendant at the wedding.

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Honored On Birthday

Mr. Clarence Agee was honored Sunday with a Birthday dinner given by his daughter and son.

Guests and friends included Mrs. Thelma Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crabill, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Ebert & family of Lynchburg, Mr. & Mrs. C. S. Booth, Mr. & Mrs. Richard Bartlett & family, Mr. & Mrs. Earl Agee & family, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wood & daughter Carol.

Co-Workers Honor Bride-Elect

Last Friday Melanie Folks was feted with a covered dish luncheon by her co-workers at the Archer Creek Branch of The Lynchburg Foundry. The delicious food was enjoyed by the fellow employees, then the containers along with the recipes for their contents were presented to Melanie as wedding gifts.

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